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MISCELLANEOUS PARAGRAPHS.

The delinquent taxpayers of New Orleans list forty-one columns.

Motto for the sheriff: render unto seizer the things that are seizers.

Fifty dollar parsnips, with watches in the handles, are pretty things.

Kerosene oil is said to be an effective antidote to the poison of a bee sting.

What did our first parents do in Eden? Adam kept the garden and Eve raised Cain.

What is the difference between truth and eggs? Truth crushed to earth will rise again, but eggs will not.

A manufacturer of spurious Heidsieck has been held for trial in New York. The drinkers of the beverage need no other punishment.

A Dubuque bride of six hours returned to a justice for a divorce. Her lover turned out to be a married man, with half a dozen children.

The regular annual "heirss, who wears diamonds worth \$100,000," has already appeared at Saratoga. She is a Cuban heirss this year. Spanish belles, by the way, are making themselves very attractive at the springs.

What is the difference between the Prince of Wales, a bald-headed man, an orphan or a gorilla? The prince is a heir apparent, the bald man has no heir apparent, the orphan has nary parent, and the gorilla has a hairy parent.

The sea serpent has reappeared on the coast of Massachusetts. He was seen on the evening of July 4, off Cape Ann. He was from sixty to eighty feet in length, lifted himself up out of the water a good length, and took things very coolly.

Statistics from about one-third of Finland show that during 1868 there were 53,113 deaths, chiefly from famine, and that during the same time only 13,965 children were born. In some districts the mortality was from thirteen to sixteen per cent. of the population.

An artesian well at Ain-Sala, in Algeria, not only throws up an immense volume of fresh water, but also numbers of small fishes, averaging half an inch in length, and furnishing a delicate morsel for the epicure. As the sand extracted from this well is identical with that found in the bed of the Nile, it is conjectured that a subterranean connection must exist with the river.

Rats are great enemies of rice plantations. In Java the rice cultivators have nearly exterminated the rats by encouraging their most efficient enemy, the snakes; and not long since an enterprising ship captain brought a whole cargo of snakes to Honolulu, expecting to find a ready market for his live stock among the owners of the rice swamps. In this, however, he was disappointed, for the authorities would not permit him to land his snakes.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia "Ledger" writes that a relative, a youth, who had been afflicted with epilepsy for a period of three years, or from the age of fourteen to seventeen, was completely cured by the administration of bromide of potassium, in increased doses up to a certain quantity. The attacks became gradually fewer, and in about two years ceased entirely. It is asserted that not the slightest symptom of a convulsion has appeared in the patient for over three years.

A NEW BASIS OF REPRESENTATION.

The New England states apprehending that the seceder is about to pass from their hands to the giant West, are urging with true Yankee ingenuity, and with all the hypocritical zeal common to a puritanical nature, that representation hereafter should be compounded of two elements, viz: population and wealth. If, while they control the legislation of the country, they can incorporate such a provision in the constitution, they can preserve, and possibly increase their representation in the house of congress; but if they fail in doing so, the control will pass to the West. Upon this subject the Providence (R. I.) "Press" remarks:

The West is superior in numerical strength, the East is far superior in financial importance. This fact will necessitate the consideration of the just basis of apportionment, that the section which contributes of its capital to promote the material growth of the country, may not be compelled to be satisfied with a small minority in the house of representatives, while the West, dependent, at least in the early part of its history, upon the favor and patronage of the East, may not have a controlling voice in congress, and so distribute the capital which they do not own, as to enhance itself at the expense of the rest of the country.

As the constitution provides that representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states according to their respective numbers of persons, no change can be effected without an amendment to that instrument, and we are strongly impressed with the idea that the people are already sick and tired of the constitutional patch-work inaugurated by New England radicals. The amendment to provide such a basis of representation will never be made.

RADICAL SECESSIONISTS.

In November, 1860, Horace Greeley, one of the founders of the radical party, and the recognized teacher of its isms, declared that "The right to secede may be a revolutionary one, but it exists, nevertheless. Whenever a considerable portion of our Union shall deliberately resolve to go out, we shall resist all coercive measures designed to keep it in."

Since the close of the war the whole radical party has acknowledged the success of the rebellion; that secession is an accomplished fact; that certain States are out of the Union, despite the efforts of the Northern arms to the contrary.

These are the men who profess to despise democrats because they consent that secessionists have other rights besides the right to be hanged. A consistent set they are—just the men to control the "best government," etc. (?)

THE HAMBLETONS.

It seems to run in the Hambleton family to build steamboats. Capt. Bill Hambleton, at Mound City, keeps his large ways crowded with new boats in course of construction, or old ones undergoing repairs, while his brother Sam Hambleton, of Cincinnati, takes contracts for the building of one, two, three, and sometimes a half dozen boats at one and the same time. That he is doing something in that line just now is evidenced by the following from a late number of the Cincinnati "Enquirer":

"At Hambleton's ship-yard work has been commenced on the three boats recently contracted for by Captain John D. Adams, of the Memphis and Arkansas River Packet Company. One will be a side-wheeler, 200 feet long, 34 feet beam, and 5 feet hold. The other two will be stern-wheelers—one 150 feet long, 33 feet beam, and 5 feet hold; the other 150 feet long, 31 feet beam, and 3 feet hold."

HOW TO REVIVE DROWNING PERSONS.

If the drowned person be a politician, whisper in his ear that he has just been appointed to a fat office. If a married woman, softly tell her that her husband is just cutting it fat with that woman she hates. If it be a young man, tell him confidentially that another fellow is after his sweetheart. If a married man, say tell him that a handsome young lady called yesterday, and is to call again to-day on important business. If he is a "carpet bagger," give him a few extra douses. If he is a habitual growler about the worthlessness of newspapers which he regularly reads but never pays for, let him drown, and rid the world of a nuisance.

TENNESSEE POLITICS.

We copy the following from a Nashville, Tenn., special telegram to the Louisville, Ky., "Courier-Journal":

"Stokes still continues the canvass, but it is apparent to everybody now that even should the Bald Eagle receive the full support of the national administration, Senter will beat him by fifty thousand majority. Nothing can occur now to stem the tide which has set in favor of universal suffrage."

Andy Johnson is still bobbing around looking for the main chance. He or Senter is certainly the coming man for the United States Senate. Andy is dealing cards with remarkable skill."

A HAPPY AUGURY.

It is a happy augury for the future, that from all portions of the country come the most cheering intelligence of a tendency to more conservative views. The men who have given tone and life to the most ultra-radical projects of the past four years, are the leaders in the movement. The Ohio Democracy nominates General Rosecrans, Brownlow supports Senter, in Tennessee, and Walker, a Northern man and a Republican, is elected Governor of Virginia—the fruits of the movement.

The Illinois Canal commissioners in accordance with their advertisements, on Wednesday opened the bids for the construction of a lock and dam on the Illinois river, at Henry, Illinois. The highest were A. A. McDowell, of Chicago, \$511,115. The lowest, M. Johnson, of Fulton, New York, \$363,121. There were eight other bids ranging between the extreme figures named. Mr. Johnson will be awarded the work. His bid is about \$15,000 higher than the estimate of Colonel Gooding, and over \$100,000 higher than Colonel Jenness' estimate.

Ben. Wade recently remarked in the presence of the Irish mayor of San Francisco, that the "Chinese are a d—d sight better than the Irish." The fact was telegraphed to the convention of Irish republicans in Chicago.

If the Irish members of that convention had held their fellow countrymen in any higher esteem than Ben. Wade does, they would not have taken seats in that body.

A hard-shell Baptist preached in Washington lately, and took for his text, "God made man in his own image." He made a long pause, and looked searchingly about the audience, and then ex-

claimed: "But I opine that God Almighty hasn't had a job in this city for nigh on to fifteen years."

HARD TIMES—WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

There are three classes of men mainly responsible for the present hard times—the Eastern and foreign bondholder, the New England manufacturer and the national banker. We are paying in all sorts of taxes—Federal, state and local—about \$700,000,000 a year. We want to reduce them. But here steps in the bondholder, who says: "Remember that in your reductions you retain for me fully one quarter of that sum in greenbacks for my interest annually." Then comes in the New England manufacturer, who insists that, in order that he may be protected, we must have a tariff of an exorbitant character. The necessities of life must be immensely burdened, so that upon foreign manufactures we may affix such duties as will exclude importations that will come in competition with the New England products. We must, in addition, also pay \$150,000,000 extra for the goods, higher than they could be bought for in Europe. We could save \$30,000,000 by redeeming \$350,000,000 of bonds, which constitute the basis of the bank circulation, issuing greenbacks in their place. But the 1700 national bankers are leagued together to prevent it, because it would stop their 25 to 40 per cent, which they are not making yearly off the people.—Cincinnati "Enquirer."

A Roman ecclesiastic, in reply to whatever question might be proposed, began by saying, "I make a distinction." A certain cardinal having invited him to dine, proposed to derive some amusement from the company from the well known peculiarity of his guest. Saying that he had an important question to propose, he asked, "Is it under any circumstances lawful to baptize in soup?" "I make a distinction," said the priest, "If you ask, is it lawful to baptize in soup in general? I say no; if you ask, is it lawful to baptize in your excellency's soup? I say yes; for there is really no difference between it and water."

There is a story of an old hunter who visited Chicago one day, and after wandering about for awhile, looking at the public buildings and other improvements, got into a chat with one of the inhabitants, in the course of which he mentioned to him that he had once had a chance to buy all the ground that the city was built upon for a pair of old boots. "And why didn't you buy it?" was the very natural question of the interlocutor. Well I hadn't the boots just then," was the old man's calm reply.

In regard to the cancellation of revenue stamps it would be well for all to remember that the law clearly requires of all parties using stamps that the entire surface of each and every stamp shall be exposed to view, and that each shall be cancelled by writing or imprinting the name of the user or the initials and the complete date.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Office of the Cairo & St. Louis Railroad Co.,

Cairo, Ill., July 21st 1869.

A meeting of the directors of this company will be held on Thursday, the 25th inst., at 10 o'clock, a.m., at the Southern Hotel, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., at 10 o'clock, a.m.

By Order, S. STAATS TAYLOR, President.

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Essays for Young Men on the interesting relation of Bridgroom to Bride, in the institution of Marriage—a guide to matrimonial felicity, and true happiness. Sent by mail in sealed letter envelopes free of charge.

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LEGAL.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that default having occurred in the performance of the conditions expressed in a certain mortgage or deed of trust executed by Edward T. Ross to Samuel Staats Taylor and Edwin Parsons, Trustees of the Cairo City Property, dated the 18th day of April, A. D. 1864, recorded in the Recorder's office, in and for Alexander county, in the State of Illinois, in Book P of Deeds, page 125, said mortgage or deed of trust conveying lots numbered 3 (three) and 4 (four), in block numbered 3 (three), in the first addition to the city of Cairo, in said county and State, we, the undersigned, said Trustees, will on

Friday, the 13th day of August next, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, sell, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the office building of said Trustees, corner of Washington Avenue and 16th street, in said city of Cairo, in Alexander county and State of Illinois, said lots numbered 3 (three) and 4 (four) in block numbered 3 (three) in the first addition to said city of Cairo according to the recorded plat thereof, with the appurtenances, to satisfy the purposes and condition of said Mortgage.

S. STAATS TAYLOR, EDWIN PARSONS,

Trustees of the Cairo City Property.

Cairo, Ill., July 21st 1869-dtd.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that default having occurred in the performance of the conditions expressed in a certain mortgage or deed of trust executed by John M. Cramer to Samuel Staats Taylor and Edwin Parsons, Trustees of the Cairo City Property, dated the 18th day of March, A. D. 1864, recorded in the Recorder's office, in and for Alexander county, in the State of Illinois, in Book P of Deeds, page 125, said mortgage or deed of trust conveying lots numbered 6 (six) and 7 (seven), in block numbered 6 (six), in the third addition to the city of Cairo, in said county and State, we, the undersigned, said Trustees, will on

Friday, the 13th day of August next, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, sell, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the office building of said